Docket No. 5627

TATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

James M. Kennedy

Application No.:

09/817,572

Filing Date:

March 26, 2001

Confirmation No.

7767

Title:

Remote Indicia Reading System

Group Art Unit:

2876

Examiner: Ahshik KIM

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT <u>UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97</u>

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Patent and Trademark Office in the above-entitled application and made of record therein.

This statement is believed to be in compliance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, including submission of the enclosed full-text copies.

The enclosed German language document, DE 20015840U1, was cited in the enclosed European Search Report, wherein page 8, line 12 through page 9, line 27, and figures 3-8 were cited for technological background. The undersigned provides this information pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3)(i).

By this submission applicant is not admitting the materiality of these references. They are merely submitted to ensure full compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

Respectfully submitted,

LUEDEKA, NEELY & GRAHAM, P.C.

By: Mark P. Crabt

Mark P. Crockett Registration No. 47,507

Knoxville, Tennessee 37901 (865) 546-4305

F:\56274\56274.US.SUPP IDS.0816.wpd

* * * CERTIFICATE OF MAILING * * *

I hereby as first o	certify that this correspondence	is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient posta sed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231
on	8/19/02	Mark P. (washington, D.C. 2023)
	Bate	Mark P. Crockett